

1900-016 Chancery Causes: Parilee Crider vs. Luke Crider
Lee Co.

Thomas, Witt

CA-Divorce
T-Vices

To the Hon. H. A. W. Skeen Judge of the
Circuit Court of Lee County, Virginia,

Your oratrix Parilee, the wife of Luke
Bridger, complaining, sheweth unto the Court:

That on the day of 18- she
was married to the said Luke Bridger,
and is now years old. During all
that time ~~time~~ she has been unto her
said husband a faithful and devoted wife.

That she is now, and has been for more
than twelve months next preceding the
the institution of this suit, a citizen of this State.

But your oratrix avers that her said
husband has so far forgotten, and so grossly
disregarded his duty to his Country and
to your oratrix that he has been
found guilty of the crime of grand larceny,
and other infamous offences, and on the

day of 185- he was sentenced to
confinement in the Penitentiary of the
State of Kentucky for the said larceny.

And your oratrix further avers that she has not co-
habited with him since his said sentence to con-

finement in the penitentiary aforesaid. Your oratrix
further avers that he has also wilfully abandoned her for three years.

In consideration whereof, and forasmuch as your oratrix
is remediless save in a Court of equity, she prays
that the said Luke Bridger may be made a defendant
to this bill, and be required to answer the same,
but not on oath, the oath being hereby waived; that
proper process issue; that your oratrix be granted
a divorce a vinculo matrimonii, and that all

1 such other ~~and~~ further ^{and general} relief be granted
2 your oratrix as in the premises may be just-
3 and right, and your oratrix will ever pray,
4 etc.

J. C. Noel p. q.

Paritce Corider
vs/ Billon & hancery.
Duke Corider

1900 1st May Rules. Opa
not executed & O.P. & Contd

" 2nd May Rules Contd
for O.P. to Complete

" 1st June Rules taken
the last Monday in
O.P. Complete & Cause
set for hearing

June Term 1900 Decree final
See Chcy O.P. No 6 P 387

Plffs Costs

Clerk 6.59

Tax 1.50

atty 15.00

Printer 5.00

C & C 2.50

\$28.34

1896 to 1901

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Parilee Lorider
vs
Luke Lorider } In Chancery.

This cause came on this 4 day of June 1900, to be heard upon the plaintiffs bill and the depositions filed therewith, and the defendant failing to appear to answer or demur, and it appearing ^{to the court} that said defendant had been given proper and legal notice according to the statute ^{and provided} in cases of non residents, enacted by the general assembly. It is therefore adjudged ordered and decreed that the bonds of matrimony heretofore contracted and existing between the said Parilee Lorider and Luke Lorider, be, and is hereby dissolved and annulled, and that the ^{said} plaintiff recover of the said defendant her costs in this cause expended. And this cause is stricken from the docket.

Parilee vs. Decker
vs. Decree Final
Decker vs. Decker

Emerson

H. C. W. Thorne

6/4/1900

Entered on Chy.
O. B. No. 6. P. 387

1 The depositions of A. J. Witt and
2 J. C. Witt, taken before me, W. T. Orr
3 a justice of the peace for the County
4 of Lee and State of Virginia, at the
5 office of J. C. Noel in Pennington Gap
6 in said County of Lee, on the 2nd day
7 of June 1900, to be read in evidence
8 in behalf of the plaintiff in a certain
9 suit depending in the Circuit Court of
10 Lee County, wherein Parilee Crider is
11 plaintiff and Luke Crider is defendant
12 Present.

13 J. C. Noel atty for plaintiff.

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15 Simpson Thomas a witness of lawful
16 age being duly sworn, deposes and
17 says:

18 I am 29 years old, and am a farmer
19 by occupation and reside in Lee County.
20 I am acquainted with both Parilee Crider
21 and Luke Crider, the plaintiff and
22 defendant in this cause. I have known
23 the plaintiff since she was a small
24 child, and the defendant for twelve
25 years or more. I have known them both
26 ever since they were married to each other.

27 I know that since the plaintiff and
28 defendant were married, the ~~plaintiff~~
29 defendant was convicted of the crime
30 Larceny and sentenced to confinement
31 in the Penitentiary of Kentucky. The
32 defendant has told me since his sentence

conviction, that he served out his sentence, in the penitentiary. He was sentenced to be confined in the penitentiary for a period of twelve months.

I know also that he wilfully abandoned her, more than three years ago, and that he has not lived with her since.

Simpson Thomas

A. J. Witt, another witness of lawful age being duly sworn deposes and says.

I am 53 years old, am a farmer, and reside in Lee County Virginia.

I am acquainted with both of the parties.

I have known the plaintiff from ~~their~~ ^{her} infancy, and the defendant for several years.

They were married ^{to each other} together on 26 day of Feb 1894. Since that time the defendant was convicted of larceny and sentenced to the penitentiary of Kentucky, for one year and I have heard, served out his time.

The plaintiff has not cohabited with him since his conviction.

I know also that since their marriage the defendant Luke Brider, wilfully abandoned the plaintiff, Parilee Brider, and that the abandonment has continued through a period of more than 3 years.

A. J. Witt. sr

I W. T. Orr, a Justice of the Peace for the County of Lee and State of Virginia, do hereby certify that

1 the foregoing depositions of Simpson
2 Thomas and N. J. Will were duly taken
3 sworn to and subscribed before me
4 at the place and time mentioned
5 therein and in the caption thereto.

6 In witness whereof I have hereto set
7 my hand and seal on this the 2nd
8 day of June 1900, at the law office
9 of J. E. Hall in the County of Lee
10 aforesaid

11 W. T. Orr J. P. (Seal)

Parish Bonds
of Depositions
Grove Bonds

J.P. Cash \$76-
Received from J.C. Noel
Sealed and in good
Condition & filed June
4th 1900.
A.B. Munsey Clerk

VIRGINIA:--In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the County of Lee
on the 30th day of April 1900 ~~189~~.

Against

Parilee Brider

Plaintiff

Luke Brider

Defendant

In Chancery

The object of this suit is to obtain a decree dissolving the bonds
of matrimony heretofore contracted and now
existing between the plaintiff and the defendant

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant Luke Brider

is ^a not resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that he do appear here within fifteen days
after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit. And it is further
ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week for four weeks in the South-West Virginian
and that a copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of this county on the first day of the next term of the
county court.

A copy—Teste:

J. L. Noel

P. Q.

A. B. Munsey

Clerk.

Parilee Leides.

AGAINST }

ORDER
OF
PUBLICATION.

Luke Leides.

J. C. Noel P. Q.

The Commonwealth of Virginia,

To the Sheriff of the County of Lee, Greeting:

^{again}
WE COMMAND YOU, That you summon Luke Lerider

to appear at the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of the County of Lee, at the rules to be held
for the said court, on the 1st Monday in May 1900 ~~189~~, to answer a
bill in chancery exhibited against him in our said court by Parilee
Lerider

And have then there this writ. Witness, A. B. MUNSEY, Clerk of our said Court, at the
court-house, the 21st day of April 1900 ~~189~~, and in the 124th year of the
Commonwealth.

A. B. Munsey Clerk

A Copy

Teste: A. B. Munsey Clerk

vs.

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**SUBPOENA
IN CHANCERY**

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To *Rules.*

Court.

The Commonwealth of Virginia,

To the Sheriff of the County of Lee, Greeting:

again
WE COMMAND YOU, That you summon *Luke Linder*

to appear at the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of the County of Lee, at the rules to be held
for the said court, on the *1st* Monday in *May* *1900* ~~1899~~, to answer a
bill in chancery exhibited against *him* in our said court by *Parilee*
Linder

And have then there this writ. Witness, A. B. MUNSEY, Clerk of our said Court, at the
court-house, the *21st* day of *April* *1900* ~~1899~~, and in the *124th* year of the
Commonwealth.

A. B. Munsey Clerk

Parilee Linder

vs. {

SUBPOENA

IN CHANCERY

Luke Linder

J. L. Kael

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To 1st May

Rules.

1900, Circuit

Court.

Not-executed,

Defendant-not-found.

This April 28 1900.

J. P. Ely D. S.

for W. J. Milani

S. L. L.

CERTIFICATE OF
ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

I, A. M. Goins, Editor of the **SOUTH-
WEST VIRGINIAN**, a weekly newspa-
per published at Jonesville, Lee County,
Va., do hereby certify that the annex-
ed notice was published in said paper
once a week for four successive weeks,
commencing on the 31st day of

May, 1900,
A. M. Goins, EDITOR.

FEE, \$5-00

VIRGINIA—In the Clerk's Office of the
Circuit Court of the County of Lee on
the 30th day of April, 1900.

Parilee Crider, Plaintiff, }
 against } In Chancery.
Luke Crider, Defendant }

The object of this suit is to obtain a
decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony
heretofore contracted and now existing
between the plaintiff and the defendant.

And an affidavit having been made and
filed that the defendant, Luke Crider, is
not a resident of the State of Virginia, it
is ordered that he do appear here within
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at the front door of the court-house of this
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county court.

A copy—Teste:

A. B. MUNSEY, Clerk.

J. C. Noel, p. q.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

Parelee Corder

VS.

IN CHANCERY.

Luka Corder

FEE \$5-00

Rec'd payment
of the above fee of
\$5-00 from J. C. Briggs,
att. for Complh.

This June 4th, 1900;

A. M. Gorrie,
Pub.